

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Allain et al.

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For: Processes for Producing a Fermentation Product

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 1, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Listing of the claims** begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks and arguments** begin on page 4 of this document.